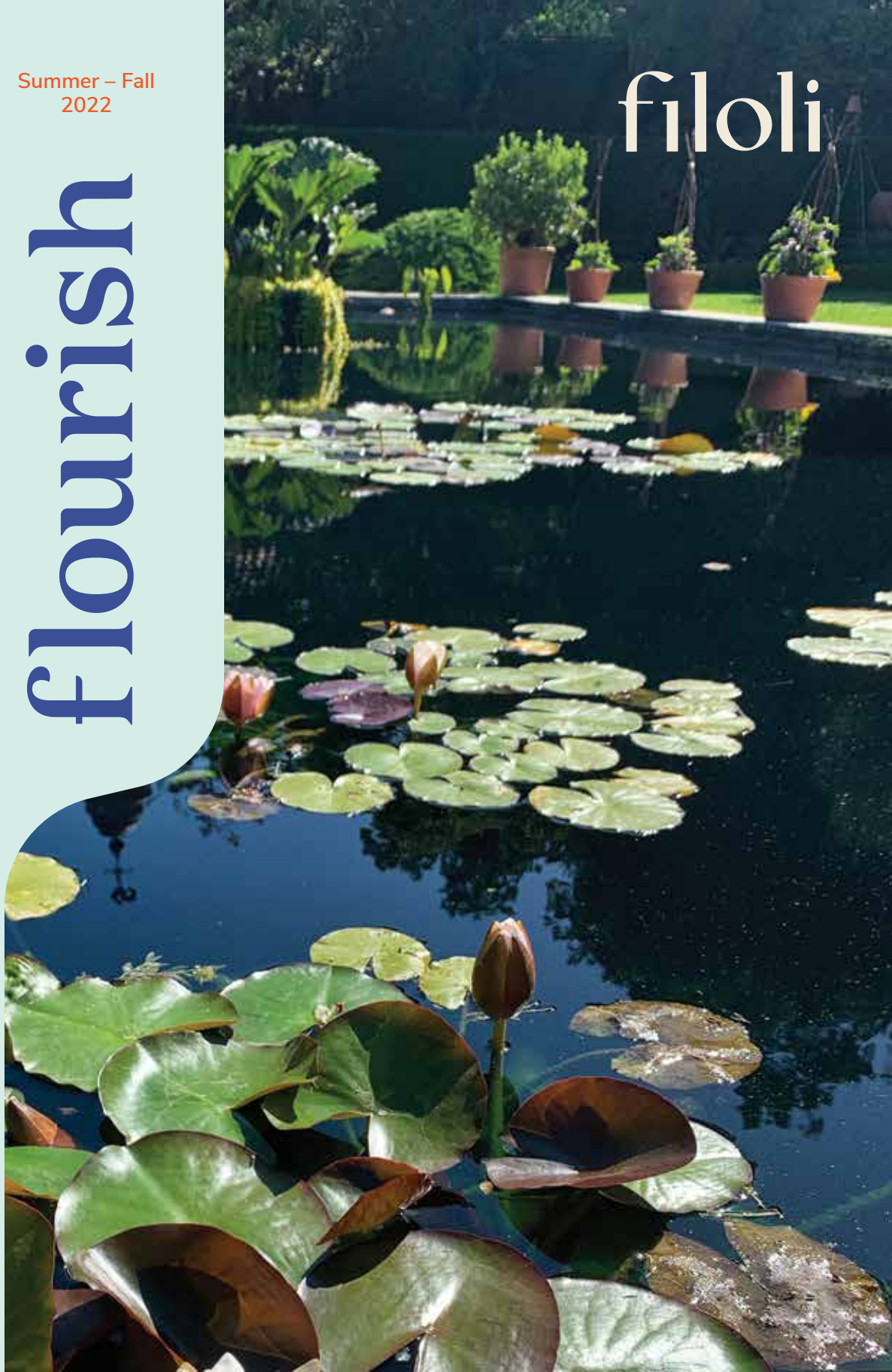


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Summer 2022 Public Programs Calendar

Blue Gold

THE POWER AND PRIVILEGE OF WATER

June 2 – November 7

A gold-mining fortune financed the Filoli estate's construction, but its owners, the Bourns and the Roths, also had a stake in an even more valuable resource: water, California's blue gold. In the House, soundscapes and interactive exhibits bring the story of the Bay Area's water alive. In the Garden, a succulent and low-water plant display sparks a conversation about sustainable gardening.

Learn more at filoli.org/water



Vegetable Garden *Opening Soon!*

The historic Vegetable Garden is opening to the public for the first time. This complete renovation provides visitor access to fruit and vegetable production with food culture connections.

Renovation made possible by generous donor contributions with leadership support in honor of Carolyn Fulgham Butcher.



Service Learning Project Water Wise

July 12, 14, & 16 | 9am–12pm

Join us for a day of service and learning. Work alongside Filoli horticulturalists to weed and mulch the garden and learn about water conservation and water wise plants.

Learn more at filoli.org/service-learning

Art Walk

July 30 & 31

Hand-picked local artists sell their work throughout Filoli's Garden. Wander among the flowers while browsing original paintings, ceramics, jewelry, and more.

Early Access for Filoli Circle Members

Learn more at filoli.org/art-walk

Summer Nights

Thursdays, June 2 – September 22 | 5–8pm

Head to Filoli any Thursday evening for a summer meet-up with friends. Stroll the Garden, grab a refreshing drink at the Bluebird Bar, and watch the sun set across the landscape.

Learn more at filoli.org/summer-nights

Pride Weekend

June 4 & 5

Pride at Filoli celebrates the LGBTQ+ community with a weekend of joyful creative expressions and experiences. Join us for live drumming and dance performances, Drag Queen Storytime, rainbow floral decor, and more.

Learn more at filoli.org/pride

Summer Flora Parties

Succulent Garden: June 14, 15, & 16 | 2–4pm

Summer Florals: August 24, 25, & 26 | 2–4pm

Enjoy an afternoon with friends and flora at Filoli's Summer Parties. In June, learn how to make your succulents thrive and create a drought-friendly summer centerpiece. Or choose August and arrange a summery floral bouquet that looks freshly picked from the French countryside. Reserve a table for four and enjoy the party!

Learn more at filoli.org/flora-parties



Blue Gold

THE POWER AND PRIVILEGE OF WATER

Water systems shaped the Bay Area's geographic and population evolution – and controlling water was a path to power and wealth for Filoli's families. Today, water is more precious than ever in our drought-stricken state, and clean water is a privilege some are still denied.

The Blue Gold exhibit, opening June 2, traces Filoli's water story through time.

1000 Ramaytush Ohlone people from the Lamchin tribe live in a creekside village called Supichom on the land that's now Filoli.



1920s The Bourns have trouble digging wells at Filoli to water their new garden. A 1924 drought forces them to let the lawns go brown.



1934 The first water from the Hetch Hetchy Valley reservoir flows to the Bay Area through the Pulgas Water Temple next door to Filoli.



1850s San Francisco's Gold Rush boom causes a water shortage. In dry times, water ferried from Sausalito is sold from mule-drawn carts for a gold dollar per bucket.



1908 William Bourn becomes president of the Spring Valley Water Company, which has a monopoly on San Francisco's water supply.



1950s The Matson Navigation Company, founded by Lurline Roth's father, pioneers the use of shipping containers to transport goods across the Pacific.



Today Filoli works to conserve water amid drought conditions and annual wildfires. This summer, we're experimenting with succulents and low-water plants in the Garden.

Fall 2022 Public Programs Calendar

Service Learning Project Orchard Care September 13, 15, & 18

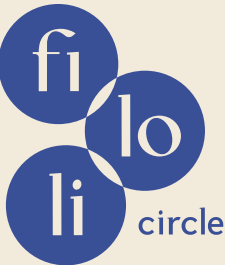
Join us for a day of service and learning as participants work alongside Filoli horticulturalists to prepare the orchard for the harvest season and Orchard Days. Learn more at filoli.org/service-learning

Orchard Days Saturdays & Sundays September 24 – October 30 & Monday October 10

Each fall weekend, join us in the Gentleman's Orchard as we celebrate and learn about the harvest season! Enjoy delightful foods, local musicians, Filoli cider, fruit facts, and more. Learn more at filoli.org/sorchard-days

Fall Flora Parties October 19 – 21 | 2–4pm

Celebrate the fall season with friends at Filoli! Learn the basics of building a beautiful wreath. Seamlessly weave greens, flowers, and dried embellishments into your own autumnal masterpiece. Learn more at filoli.org/flora-parties



Contact the Membership Department to upgrade your membership at 650.364.8300 x213 or membership@filoli.org!

Join the Filoli Circle

BENEFITS FOR ALL CIRCLE MEMBERS

- 20% discount at the Clock Tower Shop
- Invitation to select Circle Member Events including the Mother's Day Picnic
- Early entry for Art Walk in Summer
- Printed membership card at no cost

BENEFITS FOR ALL

BOURN LEVEL AND ABOVE

- Invitation to Bluegrass at the Barn and other Circle Member seasonal events
- Free admission during Holidays at Filoli (Nov. 19, 2022 - Jan. 8, 2023)
- Invitation to the Director's Luncheon
- Private tours and behind-the-scenes access
- Recognition in our Annual Report

Member Meetups

Meet me at Filoli! Meet up with other Filoli members to connect over shared interests. Meetups are casual self-guided opportunities for members without instructors or staff leads. For more information please visit filoli.org/member-meetups

- Garden Poets
- Nature Journaling
- Watercolor Painting
- Stroller Parents Walk

Bluegrass at the Barn

October 2 | 3–6pm

Filoli Circle members, Bourn level and above, will enjoy a beautiful afternoon surrounded by music and redwoods on the Estate Trail. Bring your family, picnic blankets, and folding chairs!

Events at a Glance

Summer Nights
June 2 – September 22

Pride Weekend
June 4 & 5

Service Learning Project
Water Wise
July 12, 14, & 16

Art Walk
July 30 & 31

Gala in the Garden
August 12

Plant Swap
August 20

Service Learning Project
Orchard Care
September 13, 15, & 18

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Circle Members
Bluegrass at the Barn
October 2

Indigenous Peoples' Day
October 10





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Mission

To connect our rich history with a vibrant future through beauty, nature, and shared stories.

Vision

We envision a time when all people honor nature, value unique experiences, and appreciate beauty in everyday life.

Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge that Filoli is located on the unceded ancestral homeland of the Ramaytush Ohlone people who are the original inhabitants of the San Francisco Peninsula.